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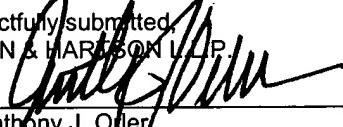
- 4 sheet(s) of drawings ( formal  informal) is(are) enclosed.
- 18 page(s) of specification and 1 page(s) of abstract of the invention are enclosed.
- An assignment of the invention to SANYO ELECTRIC CO., LTD.  is enclosed  will follow.
- An associate power of attorney  is enclosed  will follow.
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- Declaration and Power of Attorney  is enclosed  will follow.
- A certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2003-036291 filed February 14, 2003 from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 is enclosed.
- IDS enclosed ( with 1 reference(s)).
- Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- Application data sheet is enclosed. See 37 CFR 1.76.
- Return postcard is enclosed.

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A TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	4	-20	0	LG=\$18 SM=\$9	\$18	\$ 0
B INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE*	1	-3	0	LG=\$86 SM=\$43	\$86	\$ 0
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